



## City of Gaithersburg Press Release

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### For Immediate Release

## Take the #SportsFest2020 Challenge, with Seven Days to Play Starting July 11

**Gaithersburg, MD (June 24, 2020)** Gaithersburg Sports invites players entering grades K through 8 to take the #SportsFest2020 Challenge. Starting on July 11, 2020, you'll have seven days to play and complete up to eleven video challenges. The week-long competition will wrap up with a video celebration on July 18. Video challenges will be shared on the City's [YouTube channel](#) and the Gaithersburg Parks and Recreation [Facebook page](#) and [Instagram account](#).

Every child who completes at least seven of the eleven challenges will receive a certificate of completion. Keep track of your child's completed challenges with this downloadable scorecard [here](#). To receive an e-certificate, please e-mail a photo or scanned copy of the completed scorecard to [sports@gaithersburgmd.gov](mailto:sports@gaithersburgmd.gov). To make this a truly communitywide sports celebration, you are welcome to share videos or photos of your children completing the challenges on social media using #SportsFest2020 and tagging us [@GaithersburgRecreation](#) on Facebook and [@gaithersburgprc](#) on Instagram.

Participants can test their skills in the following challenges:

- Basketball
- Baseball/Softball
- Soccer
- Speed & Agility
- Volleyball
- Tennis
- Standing Long Jump
- Disc Golf
- Obstacle Course
- 1K Fun Run
- Create Your Own Challenge

For more information, please call 301-258-6350 or visit [www.gaithersburgmd.gov](http://www.gaithersburgmd.gov) and click [Sports](#) under the Recreation tab. Follow us on Twitter [@GburgMDSports](#) and Facebook [@GaithersburgRecreation](#). Stay up to date on all things Gaithersburg Sports and subscribe to our e-newsletter [here](#).

Due to the continuing public health crisis, the City of Gaithersburg is offering many virtual summer recreation classes, activities and events in lieu of in-person programs. [Phase 2](#) reopenings, which include the Water Park, Skate Park, Miniature Golf, Farmers Markets, and more, will begin the week of July 6. City updates are made on the City's website at [www.gaithersburgmd.gov](http://www.gaithersburgmd.gov) and on [Facebook](#) and Twitter [@GburgMD](#).

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